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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Norman F. KrasnerFor: METHOD FOR DETERMINING A  
CHANGE IN A COMMUNICATION SIGNAL  
AND USING THE INFORMATION TO  
IMPROVE SPS SIGNAL RECEPTION AND  
PROCESSING

Application No.: 09/619,775

Examiner: Charles C. Chow

Filed: July 20, 2000

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## AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING A

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22331-1450

Dear Commissioner:

By the timely filing of this submission and fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e), and in response to the Office Action mailed August 15, 2003, in the above-captioned matter, please withdraw the finality of any Office action and amend the application as indicated below.

Applicant hereby petitions for a three months extension, extending the period of response to February 15, 2004, by filing this request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Alexandria, VA 22313, on:

January 30, 2004

(Date of Deposit)

Victoria J. Pacey

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(Signature)